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### **WHITE MOUNTAIN APACHE TRIBE REGIONAL PARTNERSHIP COUNCIL**

### **COMMUNITY-BASED FAMILY EDUCATION GRANT PROGRAM**

### **REQUEST FOR GRANT APPLICATION**

**FTF-RC028-10-0017-00**

### **FACT SHEET**

#### **WHAT IS THE INTENT OF THIS FUNDING OPPORTUNITY?**

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The White Mountain Apache Tribe Regional Partnership Council (RPC) has identified the need for regional implementation of the following strategies:

- Expand or establish new community-based family education programs that support parents and caregivers in their ability to promote their children's optimal development and health.
- Support, enhance and implement programs and services that provide parents and caregivers access to information, resources and high-quality social support.

The White Mountain Apache Tribe Regional Partnership Council serves, and applications submitted in response to this RFGA must serve, any child ages birth through five residing within the boundaries of the Fort Apache Indian Reservation.. The intended target population of this funding opportunity is families with children birth through age five. Programs must engage families at all levels. Priority may be given to targeted populations based upon regional needs such as low income families, single parents, teen parents, first time parents, relatives raising children, or underserved geographic areas.

#### **WHAT IS THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF FUNDING AVAILABLE?**

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Approximately \$159,000 is available in this Request for Grant Application. Contract renewal will be contingent upon satisfactory contract performance, evaluation and availability of funds.

The anticipated contract period for any resultant grant will be July 1, 2009 to June 30, 2010.

## **PROPOSED TIMELINE FOR THE GRANT MAKING PROCESS**

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March 5, 2009	Notice of Intent/Fact Sheet available to the public
March 5, 2009	RFGA available on-line
March, 12, 2009	Pre-application Conference Whiteriver Unified School District Training Room, 8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. at 963 S. Chief Ave., Whiteriver, AZ 85941
April, 16, 2009	Applications due to the location listed in the RFGA by 3:00 p.m.
July 1, 2009	Anticipated grant awards made

## **HOW TO GET A COPY OF THE RFGA.**

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Please visit the First Things First web site on or after March 5, 2009: <http://www.azftf.gov/>

## **QUESTIONS?**

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All questions must be submitted in writing and include FTF-RC028-10-0017-00 in the subject line of the email or on the cover sheet of the fax.

Questions should be submitted to the Grants and Contracts Procurement Specialist via email at [grants@azftf.gov](mailto:grants@azftf.gov) or via fax at (602) 265-0009.